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WAINWRIGHT, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29th, 1942

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Sidewalk Riders Will Be Prosecuted

School Board requires \$12,500.00 for year; Garden Lots Leased; Property Sold; New Uniform for Town Constable.

Following is a record of the proceedings of the council of the Town of Wainwright at its regular meeting in the council chamber at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, the 21st. day of April, A.D. 1942.

The members of council present at this meeting were Mayor Middelaas and Councillors Huntingford, Robinson, Cook, Lismore, Alderman and Stafford.

The recorded proceedings of council at its regular meeting April 7th, 1942 were read and on motion by Coun. Alderman were adopted and confirmed as written.

The Superintendent, under the Mothers' Allowance Act for the Province of Alberta, wrote relative to the matter of relief being furnished to Mrs. Anita McNeilly and, on motion by Coun. Huntingford, his communication was ordered filed.

The University of Alberta Hospital at Edmonton wrote further, relative to Mrs. Lillian Ruit and, on motion by Coun. Huntingford, his communication was laid on the table until further word is received from this hospital.

The regulation of the Wainwright School District No. 1638, amounting to \$12,500, for 1942 was presented to council and, on motion by Coun. Huntingford, this regulation was received for inclusion in the appropriations for the year 1942 when setting the tax rate for the year.

A communication was received from the Wainwright Roman Catholic Separate School District No. 31, requesting that the rate set for the purposes of the Wainwright School District No. 1638 be also levied for Separate School purposes in the year 1942, the separate school board agreeing to accept the sum so raised in settlement of financial requirement for the current year, and, on motion by Coun. Huntingford, it was resolved that council acquiesce in the request of the said district.

The Secretary-Treasurer of the Wainwright School District No. 1638 wrote, requesting an advance of \$1,500 to meet the financial requirement for the month of April, 1942, and on motion by Coun. Huntingford, authority for the issuing of a cheque for the amount requested was granted.

The Wainwright Roman Catholic Separate School District wrote requesting an advance of \$500 to meet the financial requirements of that district at the present time, and, on motion by Coun. Huntingford, authority was granted for the issuing of a cheque for \$500 in favor of the said district.

Mr. R. A. McKay wrote, offering \$50 for the purchase of Lot 10 in Block 36, Plan 6445V, on the under-

standing that the old dwelling there on be torn down and the material used in the erection of two garages on his property in block 25, and, on motion by Coun. Lismore, it was resolved that he be accepted conditionally on his filling the basement under the dwelling after removal of the building and that the two garages be subject to taxation in the current year.

Mrs. M. A. Perras and Mr. J. E. Alderman made written applications for the use of Lot 2 in Block 17 and Lot 11 in Block 19, Plan 6445V, for gardening purposes in the year 1942, each attaching the sum of \$1.00 to the application, and, on motion by Coun. Lismore, both applications were approved on the usual terms.

A communication was received from the Supervisor of Tax Recovery confirming his telegram to the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer relative to the Minister of Municipal Affairs had ruled that the by-law, relative to the sale of Lot 19 in Block 5, Plan 6445V, be submitted for his approval and on motion by Coun. Robinson, this communication was ordered filed.

The M. D. of Wainwright, No. 392, wrote tendering an additional sum of \$500 for Lot 19 in Block 5, Plan 6445V, attaching a certified cheque for this amount to their communication and requesting that the matter be adjusted as soon as possible, and, on motion by Coun. Robinson, the communication was ordered filed.

The said M. D. was advised that their bid will be given consideration as soon as possible, with Coun. Lismore registering his vote as opposing this motion.

On motion by Coun. Stafford, it was unanimously resolved that By-Law No. 253 be given its third reading at this meeting, that it be assigned its title as in the original motion that it be finally passed and the gift was won by Mrs. Nordstrom.

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Successful Carnival For Red Cross

Last Wednesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall was the scene of a novel Penny Carnival, an enterprise undertaken entirely by six young girls of 13 to 16 years, and these are all worthy of high commendation for the wonderful success attained in the endeavor.

The young workers in this cause were Misses Glenna Bruner, pres.; Joyce Lally, Sec.-treas.; and Dorcen Adams, Isabelle Mackenzie, Kay MacLellan and Frances Mackenzie, and for about two months the girls have been making aprons, novelties etc., with which the red-white and blue decorated tables were loaded.

The mothers of the girls presided as hostesses at the tea tables. Target games and a Bingo stand proved super attractions, and the novelty of the proceedings was that everything was paid for in pennies. Miss M. Bruner acted as cashier.

On behalf of the girls, appreciation is expressed for all the donations and help they received which resulted in a total of \$22.57 being gathered to assist the Red Cross funds.

Mrs. G. Pigeon very kindly sold tickets on a draw for a beautiful angel food cake, and this was won by Mrs. J. A. Mackenzie.

Womens Institute Filling Ditty Bags

At the meeting of the local branch of the W.I. held on April 9th, some 30 members and visitors were present and the meeting, opened in regular form.

During the discussion period, it was decided to finish the quilt on hand, and to make books for another one. A seaman's helmet, scarf and mitts were handed in at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nordstrom on May 14th, when all are asked to bring donations to fill ditty bags.

Mrs. Lyle and Mrs. Carrell were hostesses for the meeting and the gift was won by Mrs. Nordstrom.

New Salvage Depot Opened In Town

The members of the local branch of the War Services League were truly busy on Saturday last, when they inaugurated the collection of waste salvage at the new depot which has been opened in the former Lush building on Main street, and to which all such salvage should now be brought.

Especially at this time of year (with Spring cleaning on the go) everyone should be helping with this project to collect salvage for assistance in the war effort. First thing for the housewife to do is to look around for a place to put permanent containers—find a spot on the porch, basement or garage for salvage goods. Outstanding things in the kit when which the housewife can save are: metal, rubber, bones, fat, glass paper, rags, etc. (fats and greases should be kept in tins or glass jars).

Do not make soap with it. It will be of more use in war industries. BONES FOR GLUE Bones are needed to make glue for airplane parts. All kinds are needed. Prairie bones are excellent. Those who live in rural areas should collect all they can find on the land. Bones that have been chewed at by the dog

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Here is one CBC's most charming young singers, Georgia Dey. Georgia is heard frequently on CBC networks and was one of the highlights of the recently concluded Blended Rhythm series.

BOARD OF TRADE MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Wainwright Board of Trade will be a DINNER MEETING at the Wainwright Hotel on WEDNESDAY, NEXT at SEVEN P.M. Sharp.

All interested are required to be in attendance; there is important business to deal with.

By Order, L. Baxter, Sec.

Special Speaker For Wain. Business Men

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade which will be held on Wednesday next (May 6th) at the Wainwright Hotel, will be one of special interest to our merchants and business men, inasmuch as the speaker for the meeting will be Mr. Walter S. Campbell, of Edmonton, of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, who will speak on matters connected with the Board and how they affect the merchant and the consumer. It is hoped that every business man will be present at the gathering. May 6th at 7 p.m.

Only One Delivery Daily For All Retail Stores

Ottawa.—A. Wartime Prices and Trade Board order curtailing retail deliveries, pick-ups, exchanges, refunds and sales on approval was made public by the board last week. "The order largely formalized practices already prevailing on a voluntary basis in many retail outlets," it said.

"Refunds or exchanges will not be allowed after six full business days from the date of delivery. But this order does not apply to instances where the goods are found to be defective or delivered in error, or to any item of house furnishings priced at \$10 or over.

"Approval sales or deliveries have been banned except on house furnishings costing more than \$10. Exchanges or refunds for goods made in order, altered, or returned by request, worn by the consumer or specially cut from any bolt of cloth or other material have been forbidden unless the goods are found to be faulty."

"The board said its restrictions crack down on the practices known as 'short-circuiting' by forbidding manufacturers or wholesalers from selling consumer goods direct or on the order of a purchasing agent to any consumer unless the manufacturer or wholesaler has an established retail outlet.

"The Wartime Prices and Trade Board is permitting manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers to discontinue premiums and coupons with goods sold, but they must continue to give additional quantities of the same goods or allowances on the price discount which they customarily allowed," the board order says.

An order of services administrator James Stewart of Toronto already prohibits any retailer from making more than one motorized delivery a day over the same route, or in the same area, except in the case of doctor's prescriptions; fuel orders, news paper deliveries and deliveries in the case of hospitals, steamships, railways or the department of munitions and supply and national defense.

From what we can learn locally, our merchants are all doing their best to comply with the above order and customers are all asked to assist in this very necessary curtailment by observing the regulations as now set out.

Oil-Well Drilling Has Commenced

Last week end saw a start made on the new oil drilling programme for the Wainwright field and things have been humming since the outfit arrived here.

With Lou McCulloch in charge, and Art Miracle supervising the erection of the drill rig, "padding" was carried out on schedule, and the cellar and sludge pits are now finished. Today will see the "cementing in" of the go, and after allowing a 48-hour period for the cement to set, drilling is to be started right away, with Drillers G. Wright, J. Irwin and B. Hannah all taking their allotted turns until the "black gold" is reached and the well brought into production.

The splendid portable drill rig is capable of going down to a depth of 3,500 feet, although the producing sand is known to be in the neighborhood of 2,300 feet in this field, according to the best of geological authority.

This first well is located on the Sam Ackroyd farm just north of the town, on T.2, S. 16-45-6W, and is to be followed by a number of other wells on leases held by the General Petroleum Ltd. It is designated as Wainwright Development No. 1.

ing for these remembrances and spoke of his work here during the past three and a half years. Mrs. Stevens thanked those present and asked for co-operation of all the members with the new pastor, (Mr. Wilson) who will conduct the services on Sunday next, May 3rd.

After the presentation all adjourned to the social room where refreshments were served by the ladies of the church. After a pleasant time all joined hands around the guests of honor and brought the gathering to a close by singing "Auld Lang Syne" and "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows".

Phil Stuart, having enjoyed a few days on leave here with his mother and sister, left on Saturday to continue air force training.

Wainwright District Says Decidedly YES

The vote on the plebiscite which was polled on Monday last certainly gave a decided "YES" vote to the answer as to whether the Federal government shall be released from their pledge with regard to recruiting for the war struggle.

In the three polls which were conducted in town by Messrs Graham, Dixon and Horn, the voters although by no means rushing kept up a fairly steady stream to the booths, and from reports at outside points, the same conditions prevailed.

While the official total for the Battle River riding is not yet available, the figures for the Wainwright town polls are given as follows:—Yes voters, 407; No voters, 55; with four rejected ballots.

Of the nine provinces of Canada Quebec was the only one which returned a negative vote, while in the other eight the percentage of "yes" voters ran from 73 p.c. in Prince Edward Island to 71 p.c. in New Brunswick, 50 p.c. as returns are available yet the affirmative vote in Alberta stands at 73 p.c., while the All-Canada percentage vote "Yes" stands at 63 p.c.

The "straw vote" which was taken in our high school last week on the plebiscite question the pupils voted 82 p.c. "yes" and 18 p.c. "no."

Corpl. A. Dalby is spending his army leave here on a visit with his wife and family in town.

SO, YOU "CAN'T TAKE IT" EH!



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WAINWRIGHT, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29th, 1942

KEEP THE PRESS FREE!

NOW, WHEN CANADA is in such fearful peril of her life, it is difficult to consider anything besides the victory at arms upon which all else depends. But lovers of freedom must pay attention to the sharp changes taking place in the business of the free press. There will be less advertising this year, which means there will be fewer daily and weekly newspapers and periodicals. Some of these will be only mildly mislead, but also some sturdy editorial voices will be stifled, and the realms of the gods of misinformation, less hindered in their expansion, will extend farther in December than they now do in April.

There will be less advertising because each day there are fewer things to advertise. Trade names must be protected, advice must be given on how to lengthen the life of articles in the hands of the public, direction must be promulgated on new methods of purveying necessary merchandise, and institutional advertising must be carried to help keep the wheels of war industry turning—but when all this is done there will still be less advertising than heretofore. This is a hard blow to a business which has seen the downward trend in advertising revenues, continue for years, but the hardest blow would be a changed attitude of the Federal Taxing authorities in regard to the allowance for advertising expenditures. This would cause a new and sudden crisis on top of all the rest. It would put the issue of the freedom of the press clearly before the Canadian people.

How are we to maintain our newspapers? Not by subsidizing them—for then they would lose such precarious freedom as they now enjoy and we might be as well off without them. Greatly increased Government advertising with the taxpayers' money is subject to the same objection. The only guarantee of liberty for the press

PROFESSIONAL LEGAL

J. A. MacKENZIE, K.C.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR & NOTARY PUBLIC

Main Street — Wainwright

M. G. CARDELL
BARRISTER — SOLICITOR
Notary Public, Commissioner

Billings Block — Main Street

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Leave orders for tuning at The Star Office

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—Regular Visits to Wainwright—
Good glasses if you need them; Good advice if you don't.

Pentecostal Assembly

Services held each Sunday in
MASONIC TEMPLE
at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.Sun., 2:30 p.m.—Special Children's Hour; all children specially invited.
Sun., 7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic service; music commences 7:25. Enjoy a happy hour with us.

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting at Mrs. Dalby's home.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Young Peoples' at Parsonage.

(Miss) Lillian Sawyer, in charge during Mr. Rourke's absence.

Everyone Invited

Sidewalk Riders

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The Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer are authorized to sign the said By-Law and to attach thereto the Corporate Seal of the Town of Wainwright.

By-Law No. 283 was then read the third time and was finally passed.

On motion by Coun. Robinson, the Mayor was authorized to purchase a uniform and cap for the Town Constable.

On motion by Coun. Stafford, it was unanimously resolved that By-Law No. 284 be not given its third reading and that the Secretary-Treasurer be instructed to cancel and file the said By-Law.

On motion by Coun. Stafford, council grants its assent to the introduction of a by-law concerning the sale of Lot 19 in Block 5, Plan 9445V, with Coun. Lashmore registering his vote as opposed to the introduction of the said by-law. The purpose of this by-law is to accept the offer of the M.D. of Wainwright, No. 592, at the increased price of \$2,000 and to authorize the Mayor and Sec. Treas. on the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and the final passing of the by-law, to issue to the said M.D. under the Corporate Seal of the Town of Wainwright, a transfer of the above mentioned property.

By-Law Number 285 was then introduced and was given its first and second readings on motions by Coun. Lashmore and Coun. Robinson respectively.

On motion by Coun. Stafford, council grants its assent to the introduction of a by-law concerning the sale of Lots 21 and 22 in Block 11, Plan 9445V, Wainwright, Alberta.

By-Law Number 286 was then introduced and was given its first and second readings on motions by Coun. Lashmore and Robinson respectively.

On motion by Coun. Cork, the Sec. Treas. was instructed to insert, in one issue of the Wainwright Star, a notice to all owners of bicycles and tricycles that it is strictly a violation of By-Law No. 271 to ride either of these on the sidewalk of the Town of Wainwright and that the Town Constable has received instructions to strictly enforce the said By-Law and to exact the penalty therein prescribed.

On motion, council was regularly adjourned.

New Salvage Depot

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are good, too. Boll bones until all gristle, marrow, meat and fat are removed, they dry them in the sun or oven. Store in a stout bag or box for salvage.

PAPER

Newspapers, magazines, cartons, cardboard, cereal boxes—everything in the line of paper is sorely needed. Sort and the papers well. Collapse cartons and cardboard into neat bundles and tie with string cord. Do not use cellophane, wax paper, grease paper, tar paper, carbon paper.

GLASS

All kinds are needed: colored, plain, broken, mirrors, electric light bulbs. Putting given in separate boxes helps the volunteer workers who are doing the sorting at the salvage depot.

METALS

Save all kinds: aluminum, steel, iron, lead, copper, brass, bronze. Things to watch for are discarded tin cans, tin washers, tin fixtures, door knobs, taps, coat hangers, hot water tanks, brass jacobines, old fashioned electric light fixtures, in fact anything at all in the line of metal will be acceptable. No tin cans are needed, as no practical means of converting tin cans has been found yet.

RUBBER

Canada is very short of rubber. Turn in every scrap you have. Children's rubber toys, old rain capes, hot water bottles, balloons, bathing caps, rubber heels, golf shoes, boots—all are acceptable given if it is only a bathroom plug, turn it in.

RAGS

Rags are needed for wiping down machinery. Canada imported three and one-half million dollars worth from U.S.A. last year. Canada can't get any now, so we must gather in every scrap we have, from cotton to silk. Cotton and linen are most valuable. Turn in every bit you can spare, clean rags of course, are best, but if you have some very dirty ones, turn them in too; they will be reclaimed.

One last word we must remember the government does not want us to throw away good things, then go and buy something to take its place. Salvage is a matter of making things you have do—not wasting any thing. Anything that cannot be used in the household can be used to good advantage for salvage.

THRESHER-INJURY TO FLAX SEED

Injury to flax seed at time of threshing may seriously lower its value for seed purposes. An examination of several hundred samples of flax from Western Canada by the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Wainwright, states J. B. Macdonald and A. M. Brown, showed that, on the average, over 50 per cent of the seed was damaged by a cracking of the seed coat. Usually the cracks were invisible to the naked eye. When cracked seed was germinated at moist bottom, it germinated almost as well as did undamaged seed, but, when planted in soil, it usually rotted or produced stunted seedlings. This rotting occurred over a wide range of soil temperatures but was lightly less in sandy soils than in clay soils. The rotting of the seed led to a reduction in the thickness of stand, and, where the damage was not offset by an increased tillering of the surviving plants, also in a reduction in yield.

When cracked seed was dusted with Carosan or Leytowan (1½ per bushel) and was then planted in soil, the rotting of such seed in soil was completely prevented. The seedlings from dusted, cracked seed grew vigorously and the only evidence of former injury was the presence of scars on the seed leaves showing where the seed had been cracked. The increase in yield from seed treatment was usually less than increase in stand, and there was no increase in yield when the treatment was applied to seed with less than 20 per cent of cracked kernels.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. DuMont, dental surgeon of Wainwright, wishes to announce that he will be writing Dominion Council exams, from May 8th to May 11th, and during that time his office will be closed.

World of Wheat

H. G. S. Strange,
Director, Research Department,
Searle Grain Company, Ltd.

We are told that an International Wheat Conference is sitting at Washington to deal with the world's wheat situation. There is much that is good for them to do now that the resources of all the United Nations have been pooled. The Washington Conference will no doubt direct the supplies of wheat to the places where they are needed, and no doubt they will make arrangements for the distribution of needed wheat and other food stuffs to the hungry people of the world as soon as the war is over.

For myself I do sincerely trust, however, that the Conference will not be led, in their enthusiasm, to design policies to set up any "plan" or quotas for the export of wheat when the war is over, for these artificial man-made controls invariably in the past have curtailed the export of wheat, have built up surpluses and so have reduced prices. Let the Washington Conference, however, simply recommend that international trade after the war should be freed from the tariff barriers which have been choking it, and they will be rendering a most worthy service to the consumers of bread, to the producers of wheat, and to all mankind.

Following factors have tended to raise prices:—Some U.S. and Canadian grain is going to Russia. The food situation on the Continent of Europe continues serious.—Canadians

Buy War Savings Certificates

overseas exports have been higher recently than for several months. Following factors have tended to lower prices:—Record supplies of wheat and corn and a scarcity of ocean shipping has paralyzed Argentina's grain trade. U.S. winter wheat crop prospects are excellent.—Favorable weather prevails over most of Europe.

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BY-LAW NUMBER 271

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all owners of bicycles and tricycles that the riding of either of these on the sidewalks of the Town of Wainwright is a strict violation of By-Law Number 271 of the said town and that the Town Constable has been instructed strictly to enforce the said By-Law and to exact the penalty therein prescribed.

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HEALTH

TOXIOD PREVENTS DIPHTHERIA
Too Late — a True Story

The family lived some distance from the town on a farm of fifty acres in a somewhat isolated district. The river ran close by and the five happy children enjoyed the swimming and fishing in the summer as well as the sleighing and skating in the crisp winter months.

Father and Mother worked hard, early and late, to provide food and clothing for the little ones, so full of life and vigour, and to some extent an education was being given each one as they came along.

Suddenly two of the children developed sore throats and the mother, not knowing it to be other than ordinary colds with sore glands, treated them just as most mothers would do in out of the way places where doctors are seldom seen, except in cases of severe illness.

Mother tried to keep the kiddies comfortable and warm, thinking that time and tender care would cure all, but her kind ministrations did not seem effective. The boy and girl of ten and twelve years grew steadily worse and the other children were now sick also.

Finally in distraction the doctor was sent for, but it was TOO LATE, for when he arrived the two children had already died. He made a hasty examination and found that Diphtheria was the cause.

Further examination disclosed the fact that the other children were already in an advanced stage of the disease and, in less than a week all five were buried side by side in the little cemetery a few miles away.

This all happened prior to Toxoid or Antitoxin. Toxoid treatments such as are now being freely provided by medical health authorities to tens of thousands of children, would have completely avoided this terrible tragedy. And yet, well-meaning folk either through ignorance or stupidity still obstruct the advance of preventive methods, as they did in regard to vaccination against smallpox.

The Health League of Canada is determined that every child in Canada shall be given toxoid treatment and thereby protected against what

was once the great plague of childhood.

The week of April 19th is devoted by health authorities throughout Canada to the prevention of diphtheria. All citizens are urged to give the matter their ardent attention with a view to immunising all children over six months of age against this entirely preventable disease.

HINTS FOR GARDENERS

Generally speaking, the gardener gains little and risks much rushing the season. This is especially true with flowers. Often when the frost does not kill it will set the plant back so far that the later sown will catch up and pass the first.

With vegetables, however, it is usually good business to take a chance with a portion of the seed to be sown. If one risks a quarter or third of a packet and there is no late frost, then one has vegetables days to weeks ahead of the regular season and they are doubly appreciated. For very best results in satisfaction and volume experts advise making at least three plantings of each type of vegetable — the first extra early, the second about the regular season, and the third late. In this way the crop of fresh vegetables is spread over a very long period.

All perennial flowers, shrubs and trees are small when originally planted, but in a few years it is surprising how much room they take up. The average person plants them far too close together and in the case of trees and shrubs, far too close to the house or fence.

As a general rule, shrubs, trees and flowers should have half as much room between as the mature height. This means at least two feet apart for perennials, three and a half feet for the ordinary spruce, and from twenty five to fifty feet for the general run of Canadian hardwood trees.

At first this may seem far too open but the space between may be taken up with annual flowers in the case of a perennial bed, and with temporary, quick-growing shrubbery and trees, with the others.

Many gardeners now use permanently a mixture of annual plants in their perennial borders. In the case of trees, it is a well-established fact

that nature uses the quick-growing poplar as a sort of nurse crop for pines. First come the poplars, killing out weeds and grass, and providing ideal surroundings for the slower-growing, shade-loving pine.

The right tools will save much labour. But they should be in first-class working order. This means that hoes, spades, weeders, squadders, etc., should be sharp and clean. An old file will do the trick. Lawnmowers must be kept in the same condition if they are to leave neat work and not pull grass out by the roots or leave it uncut.

A little hand-drawn cultivator will help speed the work in a fair-sized garden, while a wheel hoe will soon go in for a large supply of vegetables. For getting under both flowers and vegetables and for mowing the weeds under shrubbery, a sharp Dutch hoe is one of the most useful implements.

Beauty for YOU

The Secrets of Good Looks

by Barbara Lynn

THE A. B. C. OF SKIN CARE

Few of us possess naturally lovely skins, and even these must take precautions lest they suddenly lose so priceless a heritage. The task of nurturing YOUR skin will be simplified if you know something of its functions.

Besides being a covering for the body, the skin acts as an outlet for certain secretions (perspiration, for instance, is a natural one). There are countless pores in the skin, and any impurities that lurk in the bloodstream may escape through these pores — resulting in spots.

If the system is functioning properly, there is far less likelihood of skin blemishes. Interior cleanliness is thus essential. Go easy on rich foods like pastries and sweets; eat more fresh fruits and vegetables. Drink lots of water.

Exterior cleanliness is also most important. The skin is composed of two main sections—the outer and the inner skin. The outer skin is continually being changed, so it is necessary to thoroughly cleanse the skin to remove tiny particles of dead cuticle, as well as to wash away the dirt and grime.

The main rule of exterior cleansing is: Wash thoroughly. Lukewarm water is best, and soft water is preferable to hard. If the water is too hard, soften it by adding a dash of bran. Frequent washing with a good soap is important. I advise regular use of soothing palmolive soap, which cleanses thoroughly and helps to beautify the skin.

After thoroughly rinsing the skin cleanse with Three-Purpose cream, a delightful cream that is a treat for the skin.

Write me for confidential advice, and enclose four one-cent stamps for my Beauty Care booklet. Address: Barbara Lynn, Box 76, Station B, Montreal, Que.

Do You know

Care in laundering blankets and other woollens is just one more way of economizing to release all the new wool possible for the use of our Armed Forces.

There are not many rules for correct washing of woollens, but break one of them and the harm is done. First and most important: Use luke warm water and a mild soap. Heat in the presence of soap has a bad effect on wool, and may shrink it, yellow it, felt it, or make it hard and boardy.

Use two or three rinses of the same temperature as the wash water. If a piece of wool is plunged from warm water into cold water, the soap will cake and won't rinse out. And the alkali in soap has a weakening effect on wool as well as making it harsh.

Wool should be moved about as little as possible while it is wet. For some reason, moving wet wool around too much makes it 'felt', and once that happens nothing can be done to restore its soft resiliency. For this reason too it should never be soaked but should be dipped up and down in the cleaning process rather than rubbed, pounded or jerked, and a squeeze rather than wringing process be used to remove water.

Woollens should be dried in a warm place but away from contact with direct heat. Bright sunshine will make them yellow. To dry blankets hang them lengthwise over a clean clothes line with half on each side. Clothespins stretch the edges. Reverse the blanket several times after it is partially dry, and from time to time straighten the edges and squeeze out water as it collects at edges.

SAVED A LIFE BY

HOLDING UP TRAIN

What does an army doctor do when he is travelling with a train-load of soldiers and finds he has a case of acute appendicitis on his hands?

Captain Harold L. Richard, F.R.C.S. (Can.), formerly of Edmonton, and eldest son of Rev. A. D. Richard and Mrs. Richard of Wainwright, a member of the R.C.A.M.C. at Calgary Military Hospital, found himself in this predicament when he was taking a draft to Eastern Canada last week.

Captain Richard made arrangements to have the train stopped while on its journey through Northern Ontario at the next small town and had his patient removed to the small hospital there. He had intended to leave the patient to be operated upon by the local staff, but the doctor there did not feel qualified to perform the operation, and so the train was held over for an hour while Captain Richard did the necessary work.

The man was in a serious condition but through the initiative of the army

doctor his life was saved, and he is now well on the road to recovery.

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Enemy action in the Far East has caused such an acute shortage of rubber that our whole war effort is in serious danger. Canada and her Allies must have rubber, quickly, for the armed forces, for factories, for ships. The Japanese control our source of crude rubber imports—the only other quickly available supply is old scrap rubber, which can be reclaimed. Every citizen in Canada must do his part in collecting all the scrap rubber in the country and turning it over to the Government for war purposes. Here is how to do it.

THIS IS AN URGENT APPEAL FOR YOUR HELP

Question: Is the rubber situation really serious?

Answer: The shortage of rubber is so grave that any citizen hoarding rubber or using it unnecessarily is committing an act of disloyalty. It is now illegal to destroy any rubber article.

Question: Of what use is reclaimed rubber?

Answer: Old rubber is processed so that the rubber content is reclaimed. This reclaimed rubber is used in the manufacture of essential articles for our war effort, thus replacing crude rubber.

Question: How much scrap rubber is needed?

Answer: Fifty Million Pounds. This is a large quantity, but it MUST be found. Every old piece of rubber in Canada, no matter how small, is needed. QUICKLY.

Question: Should I turn in any usable rubber articles as well as worn out ones?

Answer: Absolutely not! By no means discard anything that is still useful and that might have to be replaced. On the other hand, rubber tires used as foot bumpers, swings, etc., should be turned in for war use.

HOW DO I TURN IN MY SCRAP RUBBER?

The school boys and girls of Canada are being organized, through the school authorities, to act as Official Collectors of Scrap Rubber. The school nearest you is, therefore, your best Collection Depot. You may dispose of your scrap rubber in any one of the following four ways:

When you gather up your scrap rubber and dispose of it by one of these methods, it will be used by the Government for Canada's War Effort. Do it NOW!

Department of Munitions and Supply
SCRAP RUBBER DIVISION ROYAL BANK BUILDING, TORONTO

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FARM NEWS

THE EFFECT OF OPERATING PLOUGHS AND ONE WAY DISCS AT HIGH SPEEDS

Most farm implements are now being operated at considerably higher rates of speed than previously. This is the result of the increase in operating cost of the farm tractor, due to the advent of rubber tires on this machine. Ploughs and one-way discs have not been designed to operate at these higher rates of speed with a maximum of efficiency.

Tests conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current, states C. G. E. Dowling, show that with an increase in speed of two miles per hour the draft of the one-way disc is increased by 15 to 20 per cent, of the slow-speed moldboard plough by 30 per cent, and of the high-speed moldboard plough by over 25 per cent. It was further noted that the high-speed moldboard plough could be operated one mile per hour faster than the slow-speed plough giving the same draft and a similar job of ploughing. These increases in draft are definite indications of corresponding increases in fuel consumption and cost per acre of tilling the soil.

Therefore, it is more economical to pull larger sized units of these implements at slower rates of speed. More important than the lighter draft is the fact that the better job of tilling resulted when these machines were operated at the slower speeds or the speeds for which they are designed. In the case of the plough, the pulverization was less and furrows were turned over completely, presenting an even, lumpy, and trashless surface. These ideal conditions were encountered when operating at 3 to 3½ miles per hour, using the slow speed plough, and at 4 to 4½ miles per hour when using the

high speed plough.

Tests with the one-way disc show that at speeds of 3 to 3½ miles per hour the soil was well turned over, partially burying and anchoring the trash. At the higher speeds the soil was pulverized very finely and the trash was thrown loosely on the surface.

The pulverization of the soil increases very markedly regardless of speed as the soil becomes dry.

FEEDING DURING THE

BROODING PERIOD

As is the case with most animals the first few weeks of life is a critical period for the chick. The digestive system is very sensitive at this age and the feeds given must be both easily digested, and suited to very rapid growth. Brooding "starter" rations, as they are called, which produce rapid growth without digestive disturbances, are easily available up to the time the chicks are old enough to get outside, says H. S. Gutteridge, Poultry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The poultryman would be well advised to purchase a high quality commercial chick starter. Such rations are very carefully balanced and usually contain necessary ingredients which are often difficult to obtain at country points. These ingredients are also so expensive if purchased in small quantities for mixing at home that a commercial mash would not cost any more than the home mixed. In addition, machine mixing of cod liver oil and other ingredients which are added in very small quantities is much more efficient than shovel mixing. If, however, the operator feels that something is to be gained by mixing brooding feeds at home, details of suitable ration for home mixing can be obtained without charge

by writing to the Poultry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Feeding management and cleanliness in feeding are important if good results are to be obtained. When the chicks are placed in the brooder house, fresh water in clean fountains of the type which prevents the chicks from getting into the water should be scrubbed daily. The starter ration should be placed before the birds immediately in hoppers small enough to enable the birds to get at them readily but with sufficient of a lip to prevent wastage on the floor. The mash should be always before the chicks.

GET READY FOR BABY CHICKS

Not infrequently, and particularly by the beginner, a great deal of enthusiasm is shown over the new crop of baby chicks — from whom to buy how many to buy — and at what date the purchase should be made.

Too often, little or no attention is given to preparing for the arrival of chicks from the hatchery, with the result that there may be confusion, and rush at a time when everything should be ready for them.

With due credit to those who have been able to raise small lots of chicks without the aid of brooder house or brooder stove, these two things are essential, says B. F. Tinney, Dominion Experimental Station, Charlotte town, P.E.I.

A ten-by-twelve colony house will handle about two hundred and fifty chicks to approximately six weeks of age. Prior to the arrival of the chicks, the house should be moved to the location selected and the building carefully checked for draughts.

Draughts are disastrous in chick brooding. Floors and walls preferably should be double boarded with paper between the boards. It is sometimes difficult to prevent draughts around the door. Try boarding the opening crosswise on the inside of the frame making a tight barrier twelve to fifteen inches high. This effectively stops draughts along the floor. Cut the corners diagonally with a wire cloth or board so no square corners are left where chicks may pile.

Provide adequate ventilation, keeping in mind that draughts must be avoided. Replacing one window sash with a light frame, covered with cotton or muslin is an effective method of ventilation. This may be opened on fine days but should be closed in cold or stormy weather.

Clean and disinfect the interior of the house — floors, ceilings, walls thoroughly.

Have readily available an adequate supply of suitable — water, milk and feed dishes. Above all, have a supply of suitable feed on hand and if you are a new beginner have your feeding and management routine worked out so you will know what to do immediately the chicks arrive.

Have a thermometer in each house hung at the outer edge of the hover and about two or three inches above the floor. This should register 50 to 55 degrees when the chicks are started.

With everything in readiness, start the brooder stoves at least two or three days before the youngsters arrive. This will give ample time to make necessary adjustments to stoves and thermostats and the house will be warmed to the temperature required.

Check temperatures frequently during this test period for it is absolutely essential that uniform temperatures be maintained if success is to be assured.

A Patriotic Pudding

By Frances Lee Barton

THERE is very likely to be a decided change in our eating habits before long. Certain foods from enemy countries will not be obtainable, and we shall have to depend upon foods from our own and friendly lands.

Why not get the habit of serving patriotic dishes now? Here's a pudding recipe for a starter — and I am sure you will agree that this particular pudding is just as delicious as anything made from unobtainable foods.

Orange Sponge Pudding
¾ cup quick-cooking tapioca;
½ cup sugar; ¼ teaspoon salt;
½ cup water; 2 tablespoons butter; 2 tablespoons lemon juice;
¼ cup orange juice; 2 teaspoons grated orange rind; 3 egg yolks, beaten until thick and lemon-colored; 3 egg whites, stiffly beaten.

Combine tapioca, sugar, salt, and water in saucepan and mix well. Bring mixture quickly to a full boil over direct heat, stirring constantly. Remove from fire. (Mixture will be thin. Do not overcook.) Add butter, lemon juice, orange juice, and orange rind. Cool mixture 10 to 15 minutes while beating eggs. Add egg yolks and mix well. Fold into egg whites. Turn into greased baking dish. Place in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 50 to 60 minutes, or until firm. Serve hot or cold. Serves 4 to 6.

Scones — Not From Scotland

By Frances Lee Barton

YET the old time scone was Scotch to the core — as Scotch as the tartan, the plaid, the kilt.

But here's a scone that is Scotch in spirit, "New World" in scope for the Scotch economist. It may be seen by a casual reading of the constituents required. And like any food that has even a wee hint of Scotland, this scone is delicious:

Chocolate Cream Scones
1 cup sifted cake flour; 1 teaspoon double-acting baking powder; 3 tablespoons sugar; ¼ teaspoon salt; ½ cup light cream or top milk; 1 square unsweetened chocolate, melted.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sugar, and salt and sift again. Add cream and stir until all flour is dampened; then add chocolate and stir vigorously until mixture forms a soft dough and follows spoon. Turn out immediately on slightly floured board and knead 30 seconds. Divide dough in 3 parts; roll each into a ball, pat ¾ inch thick, and cut across to make 4 triangular scones. Place on greased baking sheet and bake in hot oven (425° F.) 12 to 15 minutes. When nearly done, brush tops lightly with mixture of equal parts of sugar and milk, and finish baking. Makes 12 scones.

The Aristocratic Prune

By Frances Lee Barton

THERE was a time when "humble prune" was very often heard.

At boarding houses, "Have a dinner. The waitress coyly parried. But prunes and spices, eggs and milk. Combined into a palatable produce as sumptuous a dish as anyone can bake.

Prune Cake
2½ cups sifted cake flour; ¼ teaspoon double-acting baking powder; 1 teaspoon soda; ¼ teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon clove; 1 teaspoon allspice; 1 teaspoon cinnamon; ¼ cup butter or other shortening; 1½ cups sugar; 3 eggs, well beaten; 1 cup cooked prunes, seeded and coarsely cut; 1 cup sour milk or buttermilk.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, salt, and spices, and sift together three times. Cream butter, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs and prune pulp. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating well after each addition. Bake in two greased 9-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375° F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Spread whipped cream between layers and on top of cake.

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MASCOT

Mrs. B. O'Connor returned from her visit down east on Tuesday last. We hear that Mr. J. Denoncourt is still looking for his white bound pup which disappeared last week. Has anyone seen it?

We see a sure sign of spring now that a lot of the farmers are working in the fields.

Sheepskin Flats

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Tondu.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Teeter and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. Tondu and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vera Templeton.

A number of Government Bulls arrived in the district last week so we will soon have some nice white face cattle on the range.

A farewell party was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dave MacClenon in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Stevens who are leaving shortly for the Peace River.

WHITE CLOUD

Mr. Graydon has moved his family back into the district after spending some winter months a few miles S.E. of town.

We hear from Mr. Newton, Bank of Commerce that adding interest to all after you get used to it.

We also find that Mr. Ross Myer joined up with the Mechanic Ordnance Corps.

Wouldn't it be nice neighbors, if the merchants of Wainwright would get together and supply a restaurant for the country people. We certainly would appreciate that.

GREENSHIELDS

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. H. Jackson, was taken to the hospital last Monday and wish her a speedy recovery.

A considerable amount of interest was shown in the polling division here this week. The polling was held in the Community Hall with Mrs. E. Jackson presiding as Deputy Returning Officer and Mrs. W. Jackson assisting as poll-clerk.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Alex Murray out of the hospital again, and hope that her improvement in health will continue.

Mr. Glenn Valleau is also a patient in the hospital, being the victim of a severe cold.

We regret that Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith have been in the hospital for some time. We wish them a speedy recovery and better health in future.

Congratulations to Mr. Ivan Jackson in winning a scholarship which entitles him to attend McGill University, in Montreal. Ivan is now spending a holiday at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson.

AMONG THE OLD TIMERS

REMINDERS OF OTHER DAYS

TEN YEARS AGO

A large crowd attended the party given in the theatre for Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mitchell in honor of their recent marriage.

The Loyal Orange Lodge presented Mr. and Mrs. A. S. MacCallan recent newly weds, with suitable gifts after lodge last week.

Little Hazel Stuart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stuart is now home recovering nicely from her recent operation.

Mr. W. Jackson moved his family out to his farm at Heath during the past week.

It is gratifying to know that Mr. C. A. MacDonald who was rushed to the hospital for an emergency operation is now progressing favorably.

Carl Brunker is announcing a sale of his household effects Saturday preparatory to his leaving for other fields.

EDGERTON

The local golfers are out on nearly every opportunity, there is one thing about early golfing, the grass does not hide the balls.

The warm weather has brought out the gardeners, and several horticulturists have been noticed very busy.

Smile Challenger, we are very pleased to report, is home again.

We are glad George Sawyer has returned home from the hospital and is at work again.

Some of our school staff have been taking some of their own medicine, inasmuch as C. Welsh and E. M. Kien del have written some exams last week.

Miss E. M. Kendal was a visitor to the city for the purpose of attending the graduation of her twin sister at the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bullymore were visitors to the city.

Happy Montgomery had the misfortune to lose 10 head of cattle, and some more, by the fire. The train was delayed for a couple of hours and some damage was done to the engine.

We are sorry to report Lawrence Ecklund is in hospital at Wainwright.

The Victory Wheel winners Friday night were No. 1, Lee Darby, and No. 2, Johnny Rae.

We are given to understand that Dr. Wallace from Wainwright will visit Edgerton during the month of May every Wednesday forenoon. This should be quite a convenience to the public in general.

The Edgerton Red Cross held their monthly meeting in the work room Saturday.

St. Mary's W. A. are putting on a concert and the Juniors a play in Gawley's Hall Wednesday April 29th. Get in on the raffle for two War Savings Certificates which will be drawn for that night.

There was not a large attendance at the School Meeting held at the school Wednesday for the purpose of discussing the agreement entered into with the Wainwright School Division No. 32.

We regret it was necessary to take Mrs. Ira Kimball back to hospital on Sunday night's flier.

HEATH

Mr. D. Potvin is here from Edmonton to help with the spring work on account of Ed. being laid up with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. Mudry of the section gang had the misfortune to smash a finger while working on the track Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family of Vermilion were Sunday visitors here, Tommy came with them and Alice returned with them to visit with her sister Mrs. E. Measier.

We are sorry to say Mr. E. L. B. McLeod is laid up with a very bad cold.

RED CROSS NOTES

The Penny Carnival proved very successful last Wednesday. We understand that receipts were over fifty dollars. A more accurate account will be given after the Penny Club's meeting.

The Health Young People gave their play at the Roseade Hall, but had roads kept many people from going, and we understand that some who made the effort, only succeeded in getting there at the close of the play.

This club has done splendid work, and has swelled our Red Cross funds appreciably. Our thanks to Health!

The Dominion-wide Red Cross canyos for funds begins May 11th. Pre pare to give generously.

We gratefully acknowledge receipt of the following:

1 quilt donated by Mrs. P. T. Smale
1 quilt donated by Wainwright War Service League.

1 Karn Organ donated by Mrs. C. A. McDonald. (This organ is for sale by Red Cross.)
From Roseade Social Credit Group \$4.50

From Health Young People's Club Proceeds of play at Roseade hall \$15.50 and donation from funds 10.00.

—H.M.W.

Patronage Dividends VERSUS "Keep the Faith"

On December 1st, 1926, the Alberta Wheat Pool Directors issued a public statement to Pool members declaring that "Each signer must keep the faith." Such a declaration would naturally imply that the Pool Executive must also "keep the faith" with Pool members. Has this been done?

Recently the Alberta Pool announced the payment of a patronage dividend. We have been asked how this is possible.

The reason that the Alberta Wheat Pool has been able to pay a patronage dividend is that they are performing the old feat commonly known as "robbing Peter to pay Paul." In this case it may be more aptly expressed as that of "robbing Peter to pay Peter."

Payment of patronage dividends by the Alberta Pool is made possible through their failure to live up to their promise to pay interest on money which they borrowed from Alberta farmers on wheat delivered to the Wheat Pool in the years 1923 to 1929. They will remember that on all wheat delivered to the Wheat Pool in that period, they deducted two cents per bushel for the building of elevators.

In addition to borrowing from the farmer two cents per bushel each year for the building of elevators the Pool collected each year from the farmers' grain a further deduction amounting to one per cent of the selling price of the grain. This commercial reserve deduction amounted to approximately 1 1/2 cents per bushel each year, bringing the total yearly deductions to approximately 3 1/2 cents per bushel. In the crop years 1923-24 to 1928-29 growers delivered 285,227,734 bushels of wheat to the Alberta Pool. During this period the Pool borrowed from farmers approximately 15 cents per bushel for elevator and commercial reserves.

The total amount of money borrowed in cash by the Alberta Pool from its members in the form of elevator and commercial reserve deductions was \$7,829,575.28. In addition the Alberta Pool has retained since 1928, and still holds, \$1,037,554.35 due Alberta farmers as the final payment on the 1928 crop. This brings the total amount of money which the Alberta Pool has borrowed from farmers to \$8,867,129.63 which was evidence of a lot of faith.

When this money was being borrowed from Alberta farmers the Board of Directors told farmers in Fifth Annual report of the Alberta Wheat Pool for the fiscal year 1926-27:

"Our reserves have apparently occasioned some anxiety to a few growers in as much as no payment has as yet been made, though it has been stated time after time that as soon as it was possible to start repaying these reserves without impairing the credit of the organization, that repayment will be made."

"All members are paid six per cent interest. In cash on elevator reserves from the time that the deductions are made until they are repaid."

The next year the Pool directors decided that it was only just and proper to pay the farmers interest on the Commercial Reserve deductions as well as on the Elevator Reserves which they had borrowed. In the report of the Board of Directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool for the fiscal year 1927-28 it is stated:

"During the past year your Board has decided to include payment of interest on Commercial Reserve along with the interest paid on the Elevator Reserves. This interest will be reckoned as from the 31st of August, 1927, and payment will be made at the rate of 6 per cent on the Reserves standing to the credit of each member on the 31st of August, 1927. These payments will be made as soon after the first of the year as it can conveniently be done."

The interest at 6% on \$8,867,129.63 for one year amounts to \$532,027.77. The Alberta Pool has had the use of this money since August 1st, 1927, without paying interest to the farmer from whom it was borrowed. The interest which should have been paid to farmers since 1929 amounts to \$8,581,037.36.

Every farmer in Alberta knows that he had to pay interest on money that he had borrowed, and it was usually more than six per cent.

Payment of interest on capital funds of co-operatives, obtained from members, and on savings borrowed from members, is an established principle of the Co-operative movement as being legitimate "hire" for money.

It is obvious that the Alberta Pool properly owes the Alberta farmer:

First: The \$8,469,894.63 which they borrowed from farmers for elevator and commercial reserves.

Second: Interest on this money amounting to \$8,581,037.36.

These two amounts which the Pool owes its members total \$17,050,932.01. That again is evidence of a lot of faith.

But that is not all of the story about just why it has been possible for the Alberta Pool to distribute the patronage dividend which has been advertised so widely.

It is our contention that the Alberta Pool Elevators have been evading the payment of Dominion Income and Excess Profits taxes since the Wheat Pool operations were abandoned. Since that time the Pool Elevators have been functioning just the same as any other elevator company, except that the Pool Elevator Companies must have spent amounts totalling millions of dollars in propaganda, through publicity, radio advertising and field service work.

There are only two ways in which to obtain money to provide our soldiers, sailors and airmen with fighting equipment. One is by way of taxes and the other is through Victory Loans. The Alberta Pool has not paid the Dominion Government one cent in income and Excess Profits taxes, while other elevator companies have been paying this tax.

The minimum income tax is now 2 1/2%, which is a substantial amount. Some may think that it is smart to evade taxes, but if every corporation in Canada failed to contribute to

the Federal Income Tax department in the same manner as the Alberta Wheat Pool, Alberta soldiers including your own son or sons who may be in the forces, would have to fight German and Japanese tanks, guns and dive-bombers with their bare fists.

It is estimated that the amount of Income and Excess Profits taxes which the Alberta Pool should have paid the Federal Treasury in the years 1929 to 1941, and which they have so far escaped paying, totals \$778,732.00. This would buy a lot of fighting equipment which is badly needed. To obtain it every organization must contribute its fair share of taxes. If our army is to have proper equipment for modern warfare.

It is quite fair and proper for you to ask why the Alberta Pool is able to pay a patronage dividend.

Our reply is that if the Pool were to live up to its undertaking to pay interest to farmers on the money which it borrowed from farmers and pay taxes as everyone else is doing, in the defence of our country (which includes the defence of co-operatives) and even the defence of the Pool elevator system, they would be in no position to pay any patronage dividends.

The Alberta Pool properly owes Alberta farmers \$17,050,932.01 which is made up of \$8,469,894.63 taken in cash from the farmers, plus \$8,581,037.36 in interest on that amount for the years 1929 to 1941. In addition their estimated tax obligation to the Dominion Government is \$778,732.00, making a total of \$17,329,575.99.

Interest at 6% on \$17,329,575.99 is \$1,039,774.56 annually.

We have also been asked about the letter forwarded to Alberta Pool members under date of April 15th, 1942, along with a cheque for five per cent of the value of the Elevator and Commercial reserve deductions taken from the Pool members. Some farmers who have inquired are under the impression that this is a partial payment of interest promised to them by the Pool on these deductions. This is not the case.

What the Pool is doing is buying off the farmer's equity in the Pool Elevator system at less than 50 cents on the dollar and the amount properly owing the real owners of the Pool Elevators and who contributed to the Elevator and Commercial reserves in the years 1923 to 1928. If the Pool was living up to its solemn obligation, as cited above directly from the report of the Pool Directors, they would have sent their farmer owner members a cheque for twice the amount that they sent out to individual farmers on April 15th. And it would merely have been payment of interest alone for one year on moneys which they owe the farmers, and not the questionable action of repayment of their obligation to the farmers members at less than 50 cents on the dollar.

On December 1st, 1926, the Alberta Wheat Pool issued a statement saying that it had compelled Halvig Holmberg, a Pool member, to pay liquidated damages of \$1,000.00 for selling his wheat outside the Pool. In this statement the Alberta Pool said publicly:

"The action taken by the Wheat Pool was inspired by the fact that the welfare of close to 45,000 Alberta farmers depends upon the integrity and trustworthiness of individual signers."

"When a contract is broken the sufferers are the rest of the members of the Wheat Pool."

"Each signer must 'Keep the faith.'"

Pool members for twelve long years have failed to receive interest on the money which the Alberta Pool borrowed from them. They are now asked to accept less than 50 cents on the dollar on the amount which the Pool should properly be paying. How can this be explained as "keeping the faith?"

In forcing Halvig Holmberg to pay \$1,000.00 liquidated damages the Pool said that it was in comfortable circumstances. To the Alberta Pool is also "in comfortable circumstances" and is well able to "keep the faith" by living up to its promises to members from whom it borrowed money.

In time of war it is preferable to avoid as far as possible, internal controversies. Under the circumstances we have, however, no apology to offer in placing these facts before you as every farmer is entitled to know all the facts relating to the price which he receives for his product.

The figures given in this statement can be substantiated by a careful study of the financial reports of the Pool.

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NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Goulet, at St. Paul's hospital, Vancouver, on April 25th a girl, Congratulations.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Rattray, of Edmonton, spent the week end with their parents here.

Mr. Merchant, —Don't forget YOU are invited to hear the special speaker at the Board of Trade dinner Wednesday next May 6th, when matters connected with the Wartime Prices and Trade Board will be spoken to by Mr. Walter Campbell of Edmonton.

Mrs. Billy Fish is here with her parents. She arrived from Queen Charlotte Island last week.

Mr. Gregor McCluskey is home on leave from his army camp duties for a couple of weeks.

After having spent a pleasant visit with Mrs. J. Pawling, Mrs. Jim Ward returned to her home in the city last Saturday.

Mr. Cal Mackenzie is now back again at work after recovery from a sick spell last week.

Rev. Dr. R. Stevens, of the St. Andrew church, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday last, and on Tuesday he and Mrs. Stevens left for their new pastorate at Brownvale, Alta.

The bicycle-riders of our town had better read the Council's advt. on page two, and take heed thereto—or it is going to cost someone dearly for breaking the by-law.

Quite a number of members of the Viking patrol, B.P.O.E. were in town on Tuesday to pay a fraternal visit to the local lodge at its regular meeting in the L.O.O.F. hall.

We learn that Mr. Jas. Robinson has sold a house on fourth avenue east to Mrs. Ernie Wilson who plans to move in this week.

Rev. A. Dalby, former Pentecostal pastor at this point and now in His Majesty's forces, is to speak at next Sunday services.

Leroy Carl was a tripper to the city on Monday last and is preparing to leave for Camrose camp for training.

Gordon Smith and Beatty Wallace, who are both taking medical studies at university spent a short time with their parents in town last week end.

Miss E. Fish who has been a patient at an Edmonton hospital returned to her home here last week.

We learn that both J. F. Attewell and E. Ware have added their names to the local roll of enlisted men for war service.

Following a month's holiday spent at the coast, Miss Helen Chynoweth has returned to her duties at the hotel.

Joe Waller, mechanic at Bond Motors garage left on Monday for Edmonton where he has joined the Arm ed Forces.

Mrs. Geo. Gregson was a visitor to the city last week end.

NOTICE

All Shareholders in the former Wainwright Deep Oil Company Limited, are requested to communicate immediately with Thomas Bawn, Attkokan, Ontario, Trustee for the shareholders. 29-2

COMING EVENTS

—The annual Spring Sale of Work, Tea, and Home Cooking Sale arranged by the St. Thomas' W.A. is to be held in their Parish Hall on Saturday, May 2nd. Save the date and arrange to attend.

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We are glad to note that Mrs. C. Lally is now off the sick list and back at her duties in the postoffice, after a severe cold.

Mrs. Ivan Mitchell returned home from Lloydminster last week end, where she was holidaying with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Burkin were in town last week, while Gordon deputized for Cal Mackenzie at the repeater station.

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Beatty Wallace left at the beginning of this week to put in his necessary time in the C.O.T.C. courses before returning to his medical studies at varsity.

Word has been received that the Wainwright - Vermilion highway is to be completed and gravelled as soon as the machinery has finished the new Islay-Lloydminster cut-off roadway.

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